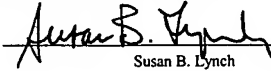


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**AMENDMENTS**

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 35, with the following rewritten paragraph:

FIG. 4-1- 4-2. Nucleotide sequence of STEAP-1 GTH9 clone (SEQ ID NO:6) corresponding to the 4 kb message on northern blots (FIG. 3A). The sequence contains an intron of 2399 base pairs relative to the STEAP-1 clone 10 sequence of FIG. 1A; coding regions are nucleotides 96-857 and 3257-3510 (indicated in bold). The start ATG is in bold and underlined, the STOP codon is in bold and underlined, and the intron-exon boundaries are underlined.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 23, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- FIG. 11. Primary structural comparison of STEAP family proteins. FIG. 11A. Amino acid sequence alignment of STEAP-1 (8P1D4 CLONE 10; SEQ ID NO:2) and STEAP-2 (98P4B6;SEQ ID NO: 8) sequences. The alignment was performed using the SIM alignment program of the Baylor College of Medicine Search Launcher Web site. Results show a 61.4% identity in a 171 amino acid overlap; Score: 576.0; Gap frequency: 0.0%. FIG. 11B. Amino acid sequence alignment of STEAP-1 with partial ORF sequences of STEAP-2 and two other putative family member proteins using PIMA program (PIMA 1.4 program at Internet address <<http://dot.imgen.bcm.tmc.edu:9331/multi-align/multi-align.html>>); transmembrane domains identified by the SOSUI program (available at Internet address <[http://www.tuat.ac.jp/~mitaku/adv\\_sosui/submit.html](http://www.tuat.ac.jp/~mitaku/adv_sosui/submit.html)>). are in bold.--